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Application of: Dai *et al.*

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CLINICAL CRITERIA AND INFORMATIVE GENESETS
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SECOND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.115

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Sir:

In accordance with Rule 115 of the Rules of Practice, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.